

The supplement to the act for the improvement of M'Clure's dock, in the city of Baltimore, was read a second time, and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

The clerk of the house of delegates returned the resolution relative to the establishment of a navy yard at the city of Baltimore, endorsed, 'unanimously assented to.'

And delivered a bill entitled an act respecting the town of Clear Spring, in Washington county, which was read the first time, and referred to Messrs. Tilghman, Brownley, and Miller.

Also, a bill entitled an act for the relief of Arthur Wise, of St. Mary's county, which was read the first time and referred to Messrs. Scott, Tilghman, and Brownley.

Also, a bill, entitled an act relating to actions of replevin which was read the first time and referred to Messrs. Johnson, Kent, and Quinton.

Also, a bill entitled an act to authorise limited partnerships within this state, which was read the first time and referred to Messrs. Scott, Johnson, and Miller.

The senate adjourned until to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.

Wednesday, February 1st, 1826.

The senate met. Present, the same members as on yesterday, except Mr. Stewart, president, absent on account of indisposition.

The senate proceeded to the election of a president pro tem. The ballots being deposited in the ballot-box, on examination thereof, it appeared that Frisby Tilghman, esquire, had six votes, and Robert Orrell, esquire, had two votes. Whereupon, it was declared in the senate, that Frisby Tilghman, esq. having had a majority of votes, was duly elected president of the senate pro tem. and he accordingly took the chair.

The resolution relative to the employment of council in the case of Brown and others, was read a third time, assented to, and returned to the house of delegates.

The bill to authorise the use of the testimony of the parties as witnesses in trials at law, was read a third time, passed and sent to the house of delegates.

On motion, the bill respecting last wills and testaments, was recommitted.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivered the following message, which was read.

By the House of Delegates, Jan. 31st, 1826.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

We regret that your honorable body have amended the resolution for a stay of execution on judgments obtained by the state, against George Dashiell, former sheriff and collector of